

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

Mr. Darryl McKigney, Treasurer Taxpayers League Federal PAC P. O. Box 130353 St. Paul, MN 55113 April 13, 2001

**RE:** MUR 5188

Dear Mr. McKigney:

In the normal course of carrying out its supervisory responsibilities, the Federal Election Commission (the "Commission") considered the issue of whether the Taxpayers League Federal PAC and you, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a(a)(1)(A) or 2 U.S.C. § 441a(a)(2)(A), provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, in connection with making a contribution to Newinski for Congress. On March 27, 2001, the Commission found no reason to believe that the Taxpayers League Federal PAC and you, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a(a)(1)(A) or 2 U.S.C. § 441a(a)(2)(A). Accordingly, the Commission has closed the file in this matter as it pertains to the Taxpayers League Federal PAC and you, as treasurer.

This matter will become part of the public record within 30 days after it has been closed with respect to all other respondents involved. The Commission reminds you that the confidentiality provisions of 2 U.S.C. §§ 437g(a)(4)(B) and 437g(a)(12)(A) remain in effect until the entire matter is closed. The Commission will notify you when the entire file has been closed.

If you have any questions, please contact Delbert K. Rigsby, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Lois G. Lerner Acting General Counsel

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Gregory R. Baker

Acting Associate General Counsel